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To close out, we offer 500 Corsets of the following standard makes: Thompson, Brewster, Warner Bros., Ferris Waist, Chicago Waist and Jackson Waist; regular price \$1, g1.25, \$1.50, and \$1.75, at the ridiculously low price of 47c Each. Ladies, take notice of this: We carry a complete line of the famous Royal Worcester Corset, the most perfect fitting corset on the

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residents and dead men being placed in the

In the Courts.

the case of Schrimpfner against Stockton

and set Thursday for argument. The case

Second Annual Meeting.

The following programme has been pre-

Vocal duct, "The Land of the Swallows

Meeting for Men-

row. The music will be in charge of a choir of little girls. This choir was form

erly known as the Washington Avenue Eq



People are quick to decide the merits of our claim that gas light is cheaper than oil,

When they examine the evidence offered. A 60 candle power gas light costs

Wyandotte Cas Co.,

1-5-96.

Bosh light costs slon of property, a dispute arising between the first and second mortgagees.

To-day will be the last motion day of this term in the court of common pleas, Judge Anderson has changed the hour from 9:50 in the morning to 2 o'clock in the after-

HERRETTERETTERETTERETTEREN The Journal's Kansas City, Kas., office is in the main room

of the Chamber of Commerce building. Subscriptions taken and advertisements received. Telephone S27.

MAY BE ABOLISHED.

LEWELLING TALKS OF DOING AWAY WITH THE POLICE BOARD.

POLÍTICIANS ARE PERTURBED.

THE COURTS ARE EXPERIENCING DIF-

FIGULTY IN OBTAINING JURORS.

To Celebrate the Completion of the Turner of the Royal Neighbors of America.

"Will Governor Lewelling abolish the metropolitan police force of this city before he goes out of office?" is a question that is now being freely discussed by the politicians and office holders of this city. The report came from Topeka yesterday morning that this would be one of the very last acts of the governor before surrendering the office, and this is the cause of the

know what the governor intends to do, the hoparty to Topeka in July and told them of his intention. They insisted that to surender the police department in this city would injure the chances of the Populist party in the county at the fall election. They told the governor that the Populists would carry the county, but they didn't. Since then the governor, it is said, has been very sore and is now ready to discard the system.

The report of the governor's intention caused quite a commotion among the aspirants for the positions of members of the afraid that if such action is taken the metropolitan police law in force again,

thus leaving them out of positions. Sheriff Peterson, who was formerly chief of police, stated yesterday that in his opinthe only way to run a police department in this city was under the metropolitan system. He said that the law ought to be amended so that the mayor would heard of the rumor about Governor Lewelling intending to abolish the system and said that if he did it would be for the sole purpose of embarrassing the incoming administration. He predicted that if Lew-elling did take such action Governor Morrill would restore the system as soon as he took office. "It is the only way that a police force can be handled in a large city," said he, "Fermit the governor to name three rood men to act in harmony harmony the mayor should be made member of the board."

HARD TO GET JURORS. Many of Those Drawn Are Either Absent

A special venire of eight jurors was drawn yesterday to serve at the present term of the district court. In making a return of the summons last evening the sheriff reported that three of the men whose names were drawn had moved from the county and two of them were dead. An officer around the district court, in speaking about the matter last evening, stated that it was almost impossible to draw a venire of twelve men and get all of them to serve. This, he says, is due to the or Dead. raw a venire of twelve men and get all of years hall on the hight of January 19.

Charles O'Comb, living at No. 3ll Armstrong acquaintance of the jury commissioners in the county. He said that in the election of commissioners the governor fould choose men who have an extensive equaintance so that the wheels of justice could not be clogged on account of non-suing year: J. D. Cruise, George H. White,

M. Jones, E. F. Serviss, W. W. Haskell, R. Ford, C. L. Simpson, Renjamin Fried-rg and F. S. Merstetter. The directors Il meet Monday night and elect officers

oney to loan. W. A. SIMPSON.

to case of W. S. Boylan and others
inst Sarah Kroh and others, a suit to
tel a mortgage and note for \$6,000, will
be trial in the common pleas court next,
tiday. The suit is the outgrowth of the
lament of the estate of the late George
Kroh. The plaintift will be represented
Hutchings & Keplinger, while the dewill be represented by Reed & Reed,

The also four rame houses and

Jense will be represented by Reed & Reed.
To rent—Two alse four room houses and one nice seven room house close to Union Pacific saven room house close to Union Pacific and Missouri Pacific shops.

Chamber of Commerce building.
Mrs. Johanna Clancy died yesterday at St. Joseph hospital, in Ransas City, Mo. She was only ill about one month and was for a number of years housekeeper for Rev. Father Curtin, pastor of the St. Bridget's church in oil Kansas City, Kas. The remains will be buried to-day at Mount St. Mary's cometery.

The Lowell Literary Society held a meet-

Was carried out.

The county attorney yesterday issued a warrant for the arrest of William Stepher on the charge of larceny. The complaint was sworn to by A. Hayman, who claims that Stepher stole a large amount of household goods. Stepher is now in jail across the state line on the charge of larceny and the officers refuse to give him up.

Not. From a Afternoon, it 3 o'clock at

PERSONAL NEWS.

a clerk in the state auditor's office and expects to hold the position that length of

Fred Buchan will return to Lawrence to orrow to resume his studies in the state Judge Anderson, of the court of common pleas, found the special finding a fact in

Councilmen Twiss and Widener arrived

Lee Hinch returned yesterslay from Hutchinson, where he spent the holidays with relatives.

The habens corpus case of Walter L. The habeas corpus case of Walter L. Tuck for the possession of his son, Walter G., from his wire, was continued yesterday for seven days by Judge Anderson.

The damage suit of Sarah Von Sillons against the Missouri Pacific Railroad Company for \$10,099 was settled yesterday in the court of common pleas for \$759. The suit was for the killing of the plaintiff's husband in Cypress yards October II. He will leave to-morrow for Topeka, to re main there until the coming session of th

ratic politicians. Miss Queenle Addorns, of Tonganoxi who has been visiting relatives and friends during the holidays, has returned home.

The second annual meeting of the Federation of Clubs will be held at Boylan's hall, 530 Minnesota avenue, Monday afternoon at 250 Adolek days with friends. William Knight, of Stillwater, Kas., is in

Piano solo, Miss Notting, Paper, "The American Woman, and Her Excuse for Being a Woman," by Mrs. J. S.

Discussion, led by Mesdames D. W. Troup, Dow McClain and J. P. Miller. Song by Master Willie Trickett and Miss Bessic Cumnings. Paper, "Warren Hastings," by Mrs. S. S. elerk under Clerk of the District a recent illness. (Masini), by Miss Clara Miller and Miss

past six weeks, is slowly improving, of Dickinson county, Kas., is the guest of Mrs. Colin McKinnon and family, on Brigh-

erly known as the Washington Avenue Ep-worth League choir, and their fine singing in both cities made them many friends. About three months ago they disbanded, but reorganized on New Year's day, and this will be their first appearance since their reorganization. Following is a list of the singers: Miss Mary Scott, Willa Fellers, Flora Fuller, Grace Shafer, Opal Arnett, Jessie Baker, Claudia Brown and Orynthia Hamilton.

Purchased a Hotel.

Orynthia Hamilton.

The Morriam Park Infirmary Company whose institution was destroyed by fire The Populists of this city say they do not hotel at Bonner Springs, and will occup thow what the governor intends to do. the house in a few days. The hotel will be know what the governor intends to do.

They say, however, that he has never been in favor of the system and that last summer he would have abolished it had not the Populist politicians interfered. He called some of the influential members of the property of the company had a large number of immates. All of them will be transferred to Bonner Springs. The property was purchased of J. W. McDanields, of that place.

Officers Installed.

The following officers were installed last might at Burnside post No. 28, G. A. R.; W. A. Harshberger, post commander; John Caskey, scalor vice commander; W.C. Barnes, junior vice commander; William Priestley, adjutant; W. W. McCune, chaplain; William Colgan, quartermaster; Dr. A. Atherton, officer of the day; N. A. Kirkham, officer of the guard; Colonel J. W. Longfellow, sergeant major.

Arrested for Burglary.

last Wednesday and a large amount of to

A Union of Hearts.

George A. Speers, aged 22 years, son of Chief of Police Speers, of Kansas City, Mo. and Miss Jennic B. Vance, of the East and Miss Jennie B. Vance, of the East side, were united in marriage in this city yesterday. The coremony was performed by Probate Judge Monahan at the court house in the presence of several court of ficials. The newly married couple will make their home across the state line.

The home of John Dilhorn, of Bonner Springs, was completely destroyed by fire at an early hour yesterday morning. The fire originated in a defective flue. There were stores on each side of the dwelling, but they were saved by the heroic work of the people living in the town.

Moral: Insure With Meriam & Bentley. Jarors Drawn.

The following jurors were drawn yes-terday to serve in the common pleas couri during the February term: John Duncan, J. A. Featty, L. L. Curtis, Albert Smith, P. W. Meyer, T. K. Foster, A. V. Bullard, L. A. Brotherton, Wat Smart, J. G. Fasen-myer, E. W. Beggs and F. J. Darnell.

METROPOLIS MISCELLANY.

The Platt Deutcher Verein, one of the most popular of the German societies of Kansas City, Mo., will give a ball at Saw-yer's hall on the night of January 19.

rs. Mary Nicklin, aged II years, died erslay of consumption, at her home. If Park avenue. The deceased was the of Luke Nicklin, a well known citizen.

The Lowell Literary Society held a meet-nic last night in the High school building, programme touching on many subjects as carried and

Next Pricay afternoon at 3 o'clock at Boylan's hall Mrs. Laura E. Scammon, of Kansas City Mo., will read her paper. The Christ in Art. This paper will be il-lustrated by helipses.

The Kansas City, Kas, branch of the Jaurnal is now located in the main room of the Chamber of Commerce building ground floor, entrance from Central or Park avenues, at the junction of the Chelsea Park Edgerton, Armourdale, Grand View and Kansas City, Mo. branches of the "L" road, and also terminus of the West Side line, soon to be completed. Telephone \$27.

E. M. Smith returned yesterday from To-peka. He went to select quarters for the next two years. He has been appointed as

Howard Bell left last evening for St.

Miss Gertle Adamson, of Sedalla, is in

home from Topeka yesterday, where they attended the meeting of mayors and coun-cilmen held there recently. The rest of the city officials will be home to-day.

Frank Barton left yesterday for Memphis o spend a week with friends. State Senator Taylor was in the city a ew minutes yesterday, calling on friends

legislature adjourns. He is not disposed to talk much concerning political affairs. Justice Swingley was in Topeka yester-lay, attending the conference of the Demo-

Mrs. M. E. Hecker and her son, Conreld, returned yesterday from Little Rock, Ark., where they have been spending the holl-

John Greenleaf, of Hiawatha, Kas., is in he city, with a view of investing in real

estate.

Mrs. George Bishop, who has been in Troy. Kas., assisting his father in disposing of a steek of general merchandise, returned to this city yesterday to accept a position with the Bank of Kansas City, Kas. He will fill the position formerly occipied by W. E. Connelly, who resigned the same to accept the position of first same to accept the position of first

Mr. Henry Howle, a prominent stockman of Dickinson county, Kas., is the guest of

Rev. F. P. Berry, formerly paster of the First Presbyterian church of this city, is now located at Maryville, Mo. He has a pastorate there that pays him \$1.50 a year.

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MANAGER AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PARTY OF THE The Journal's Armourdale office is in Lieninger's book store, No. 505 Kansas avenue. Sub-

scriptions taken and advertisements received.

ARMOURDALE.

Close of the Annual Meeting of the Supreme Camp of the Royal Neighbors of America.

The annual meeting of the supreme camp of Royal Neighbors of America closed a four days' session in this city yesterday. The convention convened at Claffin's half on Osage avenue, New Year's day, and has been in active session since. A large the order was accomplished by this distinguished body. New by-laws were drafted constitution were effected at this meeting. Over a hundred delegates were present at the convention, which represented the order throughout the country. The many visiting members were royally entertained during their stay in this city by the local

Last night's trains bore many of the delegates homeward, and the remainder will leave this morning. Before the as-sembly adjourned a vote of thanks was extended to Libar camp and the citizens of Armourdale, who helped to make the delegates' visit to this city a pleasant one.

Jointkeepers in Jail.

William Hisgins and H. McKniff were arrested yesterday by Deputy United States Marshal Hurd for selling liquor without a government license. When placed under arrest both men were dealing out the "aparkling spirits" to their customers at their "joint" on Kansas avenue near Second street. The "joint" was locked up, and the prisoners were taken before United States Commissioner Perry. Their bond was fixed at 550 each, and he-

Their bond was fixed at \$500 each, and being unable to furnish the required amounthey were committed to the county jail. A general mass meeting will be held to-night at the First Eaptist church on South Mill street for the purpose of organizing a temperance society in this city. All the different churches will have a representative present to speak for each congregation. The object of the society is to enforce the prohibitory and anti-gambling laws.

Miscellaneous.

At the last meeting of Court Robin Hood No. 7,833, A. O. F. of A., the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Theodore Van Treese, C. R.; L. Barber, S. C.; John Dyerson, treasurer; Samuel Hinkle, C. W.; C. Moreland, J. W.; C. Rohn, F. C.; W. Moreland, B. S.; R. Creag, C. B.; James Hanson, J. E., and Dr. Sheldon, physician.

Joseph Bromitett left heet night for Chi-cago, where he has accepted a position, and will make that city his future home. Mrs. Maggle Johnson is quite ill at her nome, No. 821 South Packard street.

ARGENTINE.

Members of the Board of Trade and Citizens Will Celebrate the Comple-

tion of Turner Bridge. The members of the board of crade of his city are making ext naive prepara-lons to join with a large number of cititions to join with a large number of citizens of Wyandotte county in one-brating the completion of the Turner bridge. At a recent meeting of the heard of trade a committee composed of leading business men of this city and also several profitient citizens of the county, was appointed to make arrangements for the coebration. Those appointed to represent this city are as follows: G. A. Taylor, J. E. Wiscoskie, William McGeorge, T. M. Lynch, Henry Scherer and George Simmons, Senator Edwin Taylor, of Edwardsville, Samuel Hafe, James Timmons and J. L. Perkins were named as delegates with which the Argentine committee is to join in making the arrangements. making the arrangements.
Several speakers will be invited to make addresses and invitations will be sent to the county officials and prominent citizens. The committee will meet next Thursday to complete the arrangements.

Change Proposed.

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Announcement has been made here that an important change will soon go into effect on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe that will affect a number of their employes at this place. In case the proposed change is made all passenger trains that have in the past made Argentine a terminal point will run through from Topeka to Maryeline, Mo. This action would do away with back-up crews between here and Kansas City, thus reducing the force of men making this city their headquarters. By making this city their headquarters. By making this change the expenses of the company, it is claimed, will be greatly reduced. All train crews will then make the run from Topeka to Marceline, Mo., without changing at Kansas City or this place.

Trying to Close the Joints. Trying to Close the John's.

The members of the Epworth League of
the Methodist church have begun proceedings by which they hope to close all joints
in this city. At a recent meeting a committee composed of Will Wadsworth, Everett Draper, Misses Maude Alexander and
Sunshine Collinsworth was appointed to
select some means by which the league's
plans might be carried and A meeting of ons wight be carried out. A meeting of the committee was held last night for the purpose of making final arrangements before beginning operations. The mayor and city councilmen will probably be requested to take action by which these places would be annihilated. In case the officials fail to comply with the request of the committee, efforts will be made, it is said, to have these efficials improached.

Installed Officers. The installed Officers held by the Grand Army of the Republic last night in Burke's hall was an interesting event. The meeting was attended by a largo number of visiting comrades and their ladies. After the new officers were installed by a barget was given by the mem. stalled, a banquet was given by the members of the local order.

to have these officials impeached.

Miscellaneous.

Gorden Woodruff, driver for the fire department, while walking in front of the city hall yesterday morning slipped and fell from a stone wall, severely spraining his ankle. For Burke dressed the injury and says that it is exceedingly painful and will conduct the injured man to his home for several weeks. M. B. Morrison will act as driver in his place.

An agent of the Western Type foundry of Kansas City was in the city yesterday making preparations to remove the type and office fixtures used in the office of the Argentine Eagle, a Populist paper that recently suspended publication. This company had a claim against the paper and secured the outfit to satisfy the claim.

Councilman Patrick Keyes, of the Fourth

Councilman Patrick Keyes, of the Fourth ward, is quite sick.
Henry Shaw, of Olathe, Kas., was in the city yesteriay visiting with C. W. Mars-ton and family. He is attending a military college at Boonville, Mo.

J. W. Sterritt recently returned from a hunting trip in Bates county, Mo. Miss Nellie Garrison is recovering from

Court Hoffman.

Miss Maud Allis, who has been ill for the intendent of terminals for the Santa Fe, and the Santa Fe. was in the city on business yesterday. James Russell will soon beels suitify

"All that glitters is not gold," but the gold in the medal received by Dr. Price's Baking Powder at the California Midwinter fair is genuine.

INDEPENDENCE.

Joseph Reber, a Prominent Farmer, Makes an Assignment to Satisfy the Claims of Creditors.

Joseph Reber, a prominent farmer and savy land owner residing near Buck-er, Mo., made an assignment yesterday. her, Mo, made an assignment yesterday. The assigness are Henry Reber, Joseph Ucker and Jonathan W. Blue, of Fort Osage township. The deed of assignment placed on record yesterday conveys all of his property, both real and personal, situated in Fort Osage township. No preferred creditors are mentioned in the instrument. The real estate totaled up amounts to 1,198 acres and is valued at \$59,310. The Habilities are estimated at \$5,000. Mr. Reber conducted one of the largest stock farms ducted one of the largest stock farms in Jackson county and was considered a successful farmer. The assignment is said to be due to security notes and bad investments, together with his inability to realize upon his possessions without great sorth. without great sacrifice. The assignment came as a surprise to business circles in

Installed Officers. A public installation of officers took place at the G. A. R. hall Thursday night. There was quite a large attendance of people to witness the ceremony of mustering in. C. M. Crandall was the mustering officer. After the ceremony speeches were made and a sociable evening was spent. W. Locke was mustered in as commander of the post. mustered in as commander of the post, M. A. Birgs was installed as senior vice commander; J. Sullivan, junior vice commander, and J. A. Martine, quarter-master. George Sherman was installed as adjutant.

Mrs. T. C. Creel entertained a number of friends Thursday night in honor of

of friends Thursday night in honor of visiting guests.

Dr. Edward A. Lee, of Odessa, Mo., is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. John N. Southern.

Miss Mary Leftwich has returned to Warrensburg, where she will attend the normal school.

Miss Florence Eubank, who has been the guest of Mrs. Moore, at her home on Delaware street, returned to her home at Pleasant Hill yesterday.

Elder J. A. Robinson will deliver a lecture Sunday night at the Latter Day Saints' church. His subject will be: "Half Hours With Early Christian Converts."

Mrs. C. C. Chiles will entertain the Married Ladies' Club Tuesday next at her home on West Maple avenue.
Miss Marion Duvall, of Lexington, Mo. is being entertained by Mrs. W. L. Webb, at her home on West Maple avenue.

Better M Cheaper. THE ROYAL BAKING POWDER is more economical than

shown by both the U.S. and Canadian Government Reports. The other baking powders contain from 20 to 80 per cent. less leavening gas than the ROYAL. So the ROYAL, even should it cost more than the others, would be much the cheaper.

other brands because of its greater leavening strength, as

In addition to this the superior flavor, sweetness, wholesomeness and delicacy of the food raised by ROYAL BAKING POWDER would make any difference in cost insignificant.

Highest of all in leavening strength.— Latest U. S. Government Food Report.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 WALL ST., NEW-YORK

ties of \$172,992,856. The decrease of over half in this country is not surprising, but the statement shows that most of the decrease in the United States is in manufacturing liabilities. A few states, including New York and Pennsylvania, show more failures than in 1831, and in a few Southern states the amount of Babilities is larger, but in the amount of Habilities is larger, but in Central and Western states very much smaller. In eleven of the last thirty-eight years reported, Habilities have been larger than in 1894, though for this year and 1883 the statement is confined to commercial failures, as it was not in former years. The failures have been 12.5 in every 1,000 firms doing business; the Habilities have averaged \$132.77 to each firm in trade, and, in proportion to the volume of solvent business represented by all clearing house ex-

in proportion to the volume of solvent business represented by all clearing house exchanges, \$2.63 for every \$1,000.

The complete review of different branches of business places in a clear light the fact that prices of commodities are at the lowest level ever known. Eight years ago, in July, prices averaged only 73.69 per cent of the prices for the same articles and in the same markets. Language 1, 1869 and this resame markets January 1, 1860, and this resame markets January 1, 1869, and this remained the lowest point ever touched until August 10, 1852, when the average fell to 72.78, but early this year prices dropped below all previous records and have never recovered, the average being only 68.72 per cent of the prices in 1860. The range was very little higher at the end of the year and about as low October 25. The fall very little higher at the end of the year and about as low October 25. The fall since a year ago has been 5½ per cent, but very unequal in different branches. In fron and steel products, 14 per cent; in wool, 13.4 per cent; in woolens and cottons about 15 per cent. These changes contrast sharply with the decline of wages paid per bour's work which average only 1.2 per

hour's work, which average only 1.2 per cent less than a year ago, The condition of industries has been the condition of industries has been largely governed by the fall in prices, and, while production is much greater than a year ago, the aggregate increase being fairly measured by the increase of \$24 per cent in hours of work done in November. empared with the previous year. It has every important industry that consumption has not kept pace with the output and has not sustained prices. The woolen industry records a production for the year about a quarter less than normal and for the last four months 28.47 per cent less than in 182 in quantity of wool consumed, but in value of product the decrease was, of course,

the accumulation is largely due to false re-ports of yield intended to frighten buyers and raise prices. The same influence has been felt in cotton, which is also affected by world-while depression in business and decrease in consumption of goods. In other produce markets the year has been relatively less important.

orts that stocks of goods of all descrip-ons in the hands of jobbers, manufactur-is and retailers, West and Northwest, are

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

GENERAL RESUME OF THE BUSINESS OF THE PAST YEAR.

A Large Decrease in Failures, the Average Being About Twelve in Every Thousand Firms — Prices of All Commodities the Lowest Ever Known.

New York, Jan. 4.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:
Pailures for 1894 fully reported this week are 13,885 in the United States, with liabilities of \$172,192,556. The decrease of over half.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Business of the Banks at the Principal Cities the Past Week.

The following table, compiled by Brad-street's, shows the total clearances at the principal cities and the percentage of increase or decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

| CITIES. | Clearings | ine. | Dec |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----------|--------|
| New York | \$515,541,015 | | 3. |
| Chicago | 80,505,610 | ***** | . 7. |
| Boston | 90,401,701 | *** [* * | 12. |
| Philadelphia | 71,226,272 | 6.9 | |
| San Francisco | 24,075,615 13,305,801 | 6.2 | |
| Baltimore | 10,932,021 | | 199 |
| Pittshurr | 12,375,014 | 5.0 | |
| Pittsburg Cincinnati Kansas City New Orleans Duffalo | 11.948,750 | | 10 |
| Kansas City | 11.948,750 8,778,351 | 3.6 | |
| New Orleans | 10,619,461 | | 10. |
| Ituffalo | 8,847,759 4,145,875 5,623,971 | | **** |
| Miliwaukee | 4,145,875 | 9.6 | |
| Lender III. | 5,653,971 5,645,855 | | 1197 |
| Minneapolis | 5,887,727 | **** | 15. |
| Omaha | 5,887,727 3,633,971 | | 11 |
| Providence | 5,601,100 | | 6. |
| Cleveland | 5,575,802 | 14.2 | |
| Houston | 6,567,826 | 12:3 | |
| St. Paul | 4,093,730 | 1.5514 | |
| Denver | 2,317,193 3,553,913 | 1.7 |) |
| Omaha Providence Cleveland Houston St. Paul Denver Indianapolis Columbus Hartford Richmond Washington Dallas | 0.000,200 | | 1 2 |
| Hartford | 2,957,560 2,998,960 | | |
| Richmond | 2,004,061 | | 194 |
| Washington | 1,730,595 | 19. 2 | |
| Dallas | 2,159,185 | 6.7 | |
| St. Joseph Peorla | 1,401,761 | | 20 |
| Peoria | 1,797,679 | 9.5 | |
| Momphis | 1,549,228 1,689,983 | 11111 | 100 |
| Portland | 1,695,130 | | **** |
| New Haven | 1,332,867 | ***** | 10. |
| Savannah | 2,261,474 | 18.4 | |
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| Worcester Portland, Me | 1,339,361 | | . 1 |
| Portland, Me | 1,221,546 | | 12 |
| Atlanta Fort Worth | 1,343,768 1,503,307 | E-0 | 255.55 |
| Water Worth | 1,210,070 | 653 | *** |
| Waco Syracuse | 988,450 | 7.6 | 7,6 |
| Des Molnes | 941,677 | 28.5 | |
| Grand Rapids | 941,677 754,817 | | 7 |
| Sentile | 595,181 | | 38 |
| Lawell a constitution | 513,100 | | 6. |
| bes Moines Grand Rapids Seattle Lowell Wlimington, Lel Norfolk Sloux City Los Angeles Tacoma | 1 600,712 | | , 121 |
| Shows City | 1880,5865 | 1271 | 32 |
| Los Angeles | 474,563 1,410,211 | 117.0 | 1941 |
| Tacoma | 375,044 | | 95 |
| Saginaw, Mich. | 282,025 289,622 | 1.8 | |
| Spokane Jacksonville | 289.622 | **** | 15. |
| Jacksonville | 389,735 | | 15. |
| Litteoln New Registers | 593,800 | | 19 |
| New Redford | 431,538 | 101855 | 12 |
| Eirmingham | 514,283 320,734 | 77.2 | |
| Topeka | 0.20, 7.363 | 17.7 | |
| Lexington, Ky | 1 299 1901 | 10.000 | 36. |
| Topeka Lexington, Ky, Binghampton | 3034.7(8) | | 150 |
| Hay City, Mich. | 2506.0787 | | G. |
| Calveston | 1,009,336 | ****** | 40 |
| Salt Lake City | 6,738,475 1,460,100 | | ***** |
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MERCHANTS ARE HOPEFUL.

Is the Most Encouraging Feature of the Business Situation.

New York, Jan. 4.—Bradistreet's says: There has been no material improvement in general trade within a week. Jobbers and other wholesalers are sending out, or are about to send out, commercial travelers, and in many instances have not finished the year's accounts and stock-taking. A tabustation of Bradistreet's tolesraphic reports from more important trade centers does not reveal specially hopeful views as to an improvement in business in the near future. In many instances trade revival is declared to depend on a settlement of the currency question. The most encouraging expressions of opinions are that merchants are hopeful.

Among more favorable conditions are reports that stocks of goods of all descriptions in the hands of jobbers, manufacturers and retailers. West and Northwest, are generally smaller than itsual at this sea.

They Are in a Quandary, as Usual, About the Trie Bill.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The Democratic leaders deficiency bill undescided as to when they will introduce the proposed meant of the general trade either does not train meant in the present at the changes proposed should be made and it is unterstood some of the Republicans of the finance committee are included in the name funded in the number, When Senator Jones, of Ar. R., and Custer post No. 2 of Ar. R. and Custer post No. 2. C. Mansas, who has had this in charge, was night.

The volume of the Missouri Pacific, were in the city yesterday.

Don Fenn, son of Hon. A. A. Fenn, has recovered sufficiently from a seconstration of errors in the present at all.

Some of the Republican senators think in charge, was not finished the changes proposed should be made and it is unterstood some of the Republicans of the finance committee are included in the number, When Senator Jones, of Ar. R. and Custer post No. 2 of Ar. R. and Custer post No. 2 of Ar. R. and Custer post of the Missouri Pacifical and H. G. Chark, of the Missouri Pacifical and H. G. Chark of the Misso

ports that stocks of goods of all descriptions in the hands of jobbers, manufacturies and retailers. West and Northwest, are generally smaller than usual at this season; that the business of the year in dry goods, hats, shoes, millinery and groceties has been fairly satisfactory, and that cold weather has stimulated demand for coal and seasonable fabries.

Coal is tractionally lower; pig tin is lower, as are pork, raw sugar, Indian corn, live cattle and hops. Foreign competition with American woolen dress goods for spring delivery is sharp, and domestic fabries are rather neglected, although many mills are busy on orders for men's wear woolens. Following the list of decreases in prices are leather, lumber, coal, naval, stores, coffee, eats, and cotton, for which quotations have been maintained. Cheaper grades of shoes at Eastern factories are in ligher, as are wheat and lard.

Total bank clearings at sixty-nime cities in the United States, officially reported to Bradstreet's, samestage for the calendar year 1893, 341-35, 500,601-16 per cent less than in 1892, the year of the largost volume of bank clearings. Clearings for 1894 constitute the smallest aggregate for nine years. Total exports of wheat, flour included as wheat, both coasts United States, amount to 2,634,000 bushels, against 1,844,000 a week a year and nother than the panic of the calendar year 1895, and 25 per cent less than in 1892, the year of the largost volume of bank clearings of wheat, flour included as wheat, both coasts United States, amount to 2,634,000 bushels, against 1,84,000.

Married Ladies' Club Tuesday next at her how on West Maple avenue.

Miss Marion Duvall, of Lexington, Mo. is being entertained by Mrs. V. I. Webb, at her home on West Maple avenue.

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NEWS FROM LEAVENWORTH,

DENIED THAT THE POLICE BOARD HAS BEEN ASKED TO RESIGN.

Death of William King, an Old Soldier, at St. John's Hospital-Labor Delegates Return From Topeka-Miscellaneous News and Personal Notes.

President Henry Jansen, of the police board, says he has never received any word, directly or otherwise, from Gov-ernor Lewelling requesting the police board to quit business at any fixed date It is true, however, the board did ex-

pect to be disbanded January 1. While Mr. Jansen is a Democrat, he has conducted the business of the board in a business-like manner, which has met the approval of citizens.

William King Dead. William King, of the Fortieth Iowa infantry, died suddenly yesterday morning at St. John's hospital, where he was taken about three weeks ago. The remains were removed to the mergue yesterday and will be buried to-

The delegates to the State Federation of Labor council, held at Topeka, have returned. Resolutions were passed con-demning the Pullman company and its actions in the recent strike and indorsing the actions of the United States strike commission. They also passed resolutions indorsing James Graham, of this city, for the position of state mine

Miscellaneous. T. K. Smith has the paving completed to Fourth street. Ten days of good weather will complete it.

T. N. Beckey, the new Populist county auditor, assumes his new office toty auditor, assumes his new office to-day. His bond has been approved. Mr. Oliver S. Hiatt has held the office for the past tweive years and has proven himself an efficient and an honorable officer, having at all times guarded the affairs of this county with a steady hand. Mr. Hiatt will now push his canvoos for the wardenship of the pen-ton the state of the pen-

canvass for the wardenship of the pen-itentiary with vigor.

The internal revenue collections for December amount to \$20,569.04. Of this amount oleomargarine contributed \$12,339; special tax stamps, \$2,904.59; to-bacco, \$272,76; cards, \$182,76; cigars and cigarettes, \$5,293,64; beer, \$416,25; list colcigarettes, \$5,293,64; beer, \$416,25; list col-lections, \$52,13.

The St. Paul Baptist church (colored) has been organized. The following dea-cons were chosen: Harrison Fonce, Harvey Debow, William Combs, Webly Daniels and John Daniels, William Combs was elected clerk and Rev. J.

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w. W. Hooper vs. Henry Mussett was on trial before Judge Meyer yesterday in the district court.

The jury in the Carr vs. Needham case in the district court gave the plaintiff judgment for \$21, while the costs will exceed \$490.

Annie Harris has instituted suit against Mary Jacobs for \$886, note and mortgage.

mortgage, Grateful as showers to the parched earth is the flavor of food cooked with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

Arguments in the Debs Cases.
Chicago, Jan. 4.—Judge Grosscup, in the United States court, began hearing arguments to-day on motions to quash indictments in the cases against President Debs and other officials of the American Railand other officials of the American Rail-way Union. There are two omnibus indict-ments on which arguments to quash were to be made. One charges conspiracy to ob-struct interstate commerce and the other alleges the obstruction of United States mails. Arguments for the defendants were made by T. W. Harner, of Terra Benth made by T. W. Harper, of Terre Haute, Ind., and S. S. Gregory, of Chicago, The arguments for the government were made by cx-District Attorney T. E. Mitchrist and Attorney M. Rosenthal. The arguments were completed this afternoon and a decision will be rendered next Tuesday.

New York, Jan. t.—The directors of the New Jersey Central road have decided to deduct from earnings a sum equal to the amount of income tax which the holders of stock would have to pay on the dividends each year. This is a new item of expense and one not expected earlier in the year.